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## TO-DAY'S TELEGRAM'S.

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#### THE AIR-RAID ON PARIS. NUMEROUS BOMBS DROPPED.

Paris, Mar. 12. An official report states:— Seven enemy aeroplane squadrons attacked Paris at 10 on Monday

evening. Bombs were dropped at several causing casualties damage.

One of the raiding Gothas was brought down in flames near Chateau-Thierry.

The crew have been taken pri-SIXTY MACHINES MAKE-THE

ATTEMPT. LATER. The alarm was given at 9 in the evening and the "all clear" at mid-

throughout, but a certain number of matum to the local authorities,

Paris and the suburbs. Several buildings were demolished, or caught fire.

GERMANS LOSE FOUR MACHINES.

Paris, Mar. 12. Germans lost three fourseated Gothas and one biplane Gotha in last night's raid. Nine squadrons participated. They

approached the Capital from directions. Our aeroplanes in a counter-offen-

sive dropped 58 100-kilo, bombs on the aerodromes from which the raiders departed.

ENEMY'S "COPIOUS" RETALIATION.

LONDON, Mar. 12. A wireless German official report

Last night we copiously and successfully bombed Paris, in retaliation, for the enemy attacks of March 9th and 10th on Stuttgart, Esslingen, Intertuerkheim and Mainz.

AIR-RAID ON ENGLAND.

20 KILLED AND 45 INJURED. London, Mar. 12.

The Press Bureau states that in the air raid on Marth 7th nine men, eight women and three children were killed and 45 injured. It is feared that one body has not been recovered:

THE AIR-RAID ON NAPLES THE CASUALTIES.

NAPLES, Mar. 12. Sixteen were killed and 40 injured in the air-raid on Naples. REPRISALS.

GERMAN AVIATORS TO BE IMPRISONED.

Germany by to-day to the protest people of Russia? regarding Lieutenant Scholtz und Lieutenant Wookey, who were shot. lown at Cambrai on October 17th leaflets, two German Flying Corps Ober lientenants of high family been selected by the War Prisoners Department to be imprisoned tomorrow.

GERMANY'S DIPLOMATIC LEPRE-SENTATIVE TO UKRAINE.

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# AFFAIRS IN RUSSIA.

CHAOS IN RUSSIA. AN ORGY OF MURDER.

- Sтоскноім, Маг. 12. Crimes by the Red Guards are daily increasing. The Red Guards choose their victims from among the intellectual classes, assassinating, principally, clergy of democratic sympathies and landlords. All the Agricultural Councillors,

except one, have been killed.

#### ALLIED CONSULS AT YLADIYOSTOCK.

DEMAND RESTORATION OF

FORMER GOVERNMENT LONDON, Mar. 12. The Daily Mail Correspondent at Sixty machines crossed the French Petrograd says the Allied Consuls lines. The barrage was very intense at Vladivostock have sent an ultiacroplanes reached their objectives demanding the reconstitution of the and dropped numerous bombs on Government, as existing before the Bolsheviks, and the protection of

> MOSCOW IN HANDS OF ANARCHISTS.

their nationals.

A telegram from Petrograd says the Anarchists are in possession of Moscow and are determined to fight the Petrograd Bolsheviks if the latter succeed in reaching the city. " a

The Bolshevik leaders are closely two watched in Petrograd with a view to preventing them leaving.

GERMAN TROOPS NEAR ODESSA.

A telegram from Rotterdam says the Hamburger Fremdenblatt asserts that the German troops are a few miles from Odessa.

RUSSIAN AND RUMANIAN MAILS SUSPENDED.

London, Mar. 12. The Press Bureau states that the Post Office announces the suspension of mail and money order services to Rumania and Russia, except to Finland.

> PRESIDENT WILSON SENDS A MESSAGE TO RUSSIA.

AMERICA'S SYMPATHY FOR RUBSIAN • PEOPLE. Washington, Mar. 12.

President Wilson has telegraphed to the American Consul at Moscow as follows :-

May I not take advantage of the meeting of the Congress of Soviets to express the sincers sympathy which the people of the United States feel for the Russian people at this moment when the German power has been thrust in to interrupt and turn back the whole struggle for Loxdon, Mar. 12. Freedom and substitute the wishes Failing a satisfactory reply from of Germany for the purpose of the

Although the Government of the United States is, unhappily, not now and sentenced to ten years penal in a position to render direct and servitude by a German Military effective aid, it would wish to render Tribunal for dropping enemy it. I beg to assure the people of Russie, through the Congress, that it will avail itself of every opportunity to secure for Russia once more complete sovereignty and independence in her own affairs and full restoration to her great role in the life of Europe 1-1 the modern The whole heart of the people of the United States is with the people of Russia in the attempt to free themselves for ever from an

Baron von Mucho, formerly Clery Sutocratic government and become man Minister to Pelong. Has gone the master of their own life to Kieff as Temporary Diplomatic was a few for the control of th

#### INTIMATIONS

HONGKONG CLUB. NOTICE.

THE THIRTY-SECOND YEARLY GENERAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS of the HONGONG CLUB, will be held in the CLUB House, MONDAY, the 18th March, 1918, 5.30 T.X.

By Order E. DES VŒUX,

Secretary. Hongkong, Mar. 2, 1318.

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS in the Company Houghong, Mar. 12, 1918.

Will be held at the Offices of the Company St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATUR-DAY, the 13rd day of March, 1918. At 11.20 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of receiving a Statement of DAIRY FARM NEWS. Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1917

and declaring a Dividend.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 14th March, 1918, antil SATURDAY, the 23rd March, 1918, both days inclusive.

By Order of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hongkong, Mar. 5, 1918.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE FORTLETH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, on WEDNES-DAY, the 27th instant, at 11.30 A.M. for the purpose of receiving the Report European Baths and Banitary Fittings.

ending 31st December, 1917.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to 27th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD. General Agents. Hongkong, Mar. 8, 1918.

HONOKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FORTY NINTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Undersigned at 11 A.M. on WEDNESDAY, the

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JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd. General Managers, Hongkono, Fire Insurance COMPANY, LTD. .Hongkong, Mar. 9, 1918.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE THIRTY-SEVENTH ORDIN ARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the General Managers at Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant to receive a Statement of the Company's Accounts to 31st December, 1917, and the report of the General Managers." The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th to 37th instant both days inclusive:

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD. General Managers. Hongkong, March 7, 1918.

NOTICE.

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SOME REFLECTIONS ON THE NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER.

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land sundered once from all the human which, in spite of learning and opport race"; and when Christians first began unity, has wilfully lapsed from civilian to observe the Epiphany or Theophany tion into barbarism , can scarcely (as the feast was indifferently called). our own forefathers were among the heathen on whom the light of the Holy Manger was before long to shine. It holds of the north to the citadel. has shone on us now for a good many Epiphany are equally lacking. The centuries; England has ranked as one of infallibility which did not protect the the chiefest of Christian nations, and largest section of Christendom from has always professed, and often felt, a such crimes as the inquisition and charitable concern for the races which proved itself equally impotent in these are still lying in darkness. Epiphany is latter days. No one could have expected very specially the feast of a missionary the Pope, who has spiritual children in be to cry, "See what Christianity has would have denounced, with the done for the world. Christendom pos trumpet-tone of Sinai, the orgies of texual seeses the one religion. Come in, and devastated Belgium.

share its blessings." AFTER TWO THOUSAND TRANS. There have been times and places at which that appeal could be successfully made Indeed, as Gibbon owned, it was one of the causes to which the gradual triumph of Christianity was due. But for Europe at the present moment to address that appeal to Africa or India or China would be to invite a deadly re-

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partee. In the long ages—Heathendom might reply—which have elapsed since the world rose out of chaos, you have improved very little on the manners of those primeval monsters which tare each other in the slime." Two thousand years of Christianity have not taught you to beat your swords into plough shares. You still make your sons to pass through the fire to Moloch, and the most through the fire to Moloch, and the most through the developments of physical origin in religion. At this moment of the manners of physical origin in religion.

Thirty years ago, the great Lord Shaftesbury wrote: "The present is

Germany has for four centuries sadubious issues, was indeed a triumph of official pastors, she has renounced the religion of sacrifice for the lust of conquest Tennyson wrote of "this northern is and has substituted the creed of Oding.

for the faith of Christ. A country evangelise Confucians or Buddhists.

IN THISE LATTER DAYS. If we turn from the Protestant strongauthority at Rome the signs of an such crimes as the inquisition and the massacre of St. Bartholomew's Day has all lands to take sides in an internst-Church; and the strongest appeal which ional dispute; but one would have it could address to Heathendom would thought that a divinely given infallibility

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acknowledge that the condition of Eng. terrible, the future far more so; every land has not always been such as to inspire Heathendom with a lively desire to be like us. A century and a half ago Charles Wesley complained that his fellow-citizens, who professed Christianity. "the sinners unbaptized outsin." And everyone who remembers the social and. moral state of England during the ten years immediately preceding the present war, will be inclined to think that the twentieth century had not markedly improved on the eighteenth. Betting and gambling, and the crimes to which they lead, had increased trightfully and were doing as much harm as drunkenness used to do. There was an open and inscient. di regard of religious observance. especially with respect to the use of Funday the Weekly Day of Best being perverted into a day of extra amusement and resulting labour. There was a general relaxation of moral tone in those classes of society which are supposed to set a good example. There was an everincreasing invasion of the laws which guard sexual morality; illustrated in the agitation to make divorce even easier than it is now. Other and darker touches might be added; but I have said enough to make, my meaning clear. Some say that the war is teaching us to repent of, and to forsake, those national offences. If so, but not otherwise, we can reasonably connect it with the

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For further particulars apply to the Undersigned. TERMS :- Cash.

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Hongkoug, Mar. 7, 1918.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Underzigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (NOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),

THURSDAY,

the 21st March, 1918, at 2.20 p.m., at Rock Villa," No. 13, Wong-Nei-Chong Road, (next door to Le Calvaire),

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> therein contained. Consisting of :-

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RACE COURSE TRAGEDY INQUIRY.

Following is an extended report of the evidence given by Mr. P. P. Xavier at vesterday's sitting of the

Coroner's Court: Mr. P. P. Xavier, proprietor of the 195 Hongkong Printing Press, stated he had had a share in the Xavier Booth on site No. 7 for about nine years. He took out the P.W.D. permit this year and gave instructions to contractor to erect the stand same as last year. His stand was a three-storey one. This year the ground floor was used for refreshments, the first floor for cash sweeps and the top floor was only half the size and specially reserved for ladies. He did not give any special instructions to the contractor. He examined the stand on the Sunday prior to the Races and everything was in good order. He supplied refreshments on the stand. No cooking was done but a Chinese chatty was used for boiling water. Only charcoal was used. There was one main entrance to his shed on the first floor... There was no entrunce on the ground floor. The door on the first floor was about six feet wide. He was in the shed at the time of the collapse, on the first floor. He heard a noise of people trying to run. He thought it was fighting or something like that, and then the shed collapsed, towards the United Stand. He fell down on topof his two sisters. One sister shout-227 ed, for help. He tried to escape. His wife and children were there. They made a hole in the matting and helped out the children. He and 18 members of his family escaped through the hole. One his sisters died. The hole was on the Golf Club side of the shed. H was about the tenth of his family to get out. He did not see any fire until he got out. No fire started in his shed. There were about 200 people in his shed. Four of his office

> say how many other people were killed in his shed. By the Crown Solicitor: Admission to his shed was by ticket. They were invitation tickets. He issued about 500 tickets. No charge was made. The tickets were sent to some Chinese, Portuguese and English friends. Refreshments were not charged for; they could be obtained by application for a ticket, to him. There was whisky available. He ran a cash sweep and deducted 15 per cent. He had no electric light in his He had no precautions against fire. In his opinion the collapse was due to overcrowding.

staff were missing. He could not

He did not count the people in his By Mr. Bowley: The reason the people did not get out was because of being crushed. His sister was held down by a blackboard. There was no way out of the basement except by going upstairs. There were bamboo tables in the basement. The police made no objection to his a Portuguese ticket collector at the door. Some people were admitted without tickets. There was an oi lamp in the basement. It was not also a charcoal chattle, and a jar of sweaters. water for making teal. He heard people running out from the second floor of his matched; then many people were on the top floor.

collapsed. He did not know how By Mr. d'Almada : Mr. L. Xaxier, his uncle, was in charge of the shed He perished in the fire.

collapse. Witness was in charge of

By Mr. Steavenson: He could not Japanese booth and the booth next to it on the first day of the races after tiffin, and they were so crowded that he could not get in. The Court then adjourned Friday, at 11 a.m.

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The following returns have been received from the Working Parties CITY HALL WORKING PARTE, under Mrs.

DURING JANUARY (Corrected List.) Two cases sent to Bombay containing :-14 dressing gowns, 10 surgical caps, 71 vests, 32 milk covers, 32 shirts, 12 tray cloths, 3 surgical shirts, scrubbers, 28 bed jackets, 12 head nets, 65 pairs of pyjamas, 4 pairs of bed boots, 8 pairs of slippers, 12 mosquito nets, 28 dozen handkerchiefs, 46 shrouds, 22 small pillows. 17 many-tailed bandages, 20 floor mops, 18 mufflers, 15 pairs of socks, 5 helmets, 2 caps and I pair of

Four cases to Bombay containing :- 11 dressing gowns, 114 shirts, 150 vests, 108 bed jackets, 220 pairs of pyjamas, 12 urgical shirts, 27 dozen handkerchiels 8 dozen milk covers, 30 acrubbers, 72 covers, 11 pairs of operation stockings, 9 mora 18 caps, 15 large mosquito nets, 85 small mosquito nets, 8 pillows, 5 holdalls, 17 surgeons' coats, 10 pairs of bed boots, 52 shrouds, 84 pairs of slippers, 55 tray cloths, 19 head nots, 15 head bandages, I mop, 5 razors, 12 packs of cards, 6 Jaeger scarves and a quantity of eye

To French Red Cross :- 275 pairs of socks, 102 mufflers, 36 caps, 33 knee caps, 14 white caps, 30 pairs of bed socks, 18

pairs of gloves. To Red Cross, Eombay:-252 pairs of socks and 87 mufflers.

To Local Troops:—360 mufflers.

DURING FEBRUARY. One case to 48th General Hospital, Alexandria, containing:-10 mufflers. pair of socks, 22 pillows, 28 vests, 48 bed jackets, 24 eye bandages, 2 mosquito nets, 27 abdominal belts, 4 caps, 7 dozen handkerchiefs, 37 pairs of pyjamas, 11 shrouds reversible bed jackets, 2 surgical suits 6 gauze veils, 17 pairs of slippers, 12 tray cloths, 34 milk covers, 15 head bandages, 24 scrubbers, 2 pairs of bed

boots, I bezigue. Three cases to Bombay for Mesopotamia:-5 pillows, 108 vests, 78 bed jackets, 24 eye bandages, 40 mosquito nets, 411 dozen handkerchiefs, 65 pairs of pyjamas, 15 shrouds, 6 reversible bed jackets, 5 surgical suits, 18 paits of slippers, 36 tray covers, 12 milk covers, 0 head bandages, 20 scrubbers, 2 puirs of bed boots, 75 shirts, old linen and playing cards.

Three cases for Bombay: -53 shirts, 5 surgical shirts, 15 cotton shirts, 185 pairs of pyjamas, 123 bed jackets, 82 vests, 23 dressing gowns, I quilt. 1 reversible bed jackets, 23 dozen handkerchiefs, 124 dozen milk covers, 36 pairs of slippers, 37 shrouds, 5 pairs of bed boots, 106 covers, 12 face cloths, 4 pairs of socks, 13 small pillows, 20 large mosquito nets,

Also: 37 white caps and 26 pairs "OUR LITTLE BIT SOCIETY," under Mrs.

To Mrs. Eden. Jacksnapes Work Society, 94, Marlborough Mansions, West having a refreshment room. He had Hampstead, N.W. -2 quilts, 2 pillows, 4 pairs stretcher boots, 74 suits pyjamas,

bed socks, 30 pairs socks, 49 pairs woollen alight in the daytime. There was mittens, 11 mufflers, 17 sleeveless To Colonel Gordon Hall, Cairo, Egypt: 488 rolled bandages, 4 floor cloths, 8

84 white woollen caps, 18 white woollen

mops, 40 vests, 100 suits pyjumas, 30 pairs cloth slippers, 7 bags swabs. To the Matron, 48th General Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt :- 818 rolled bandages, By Mr. Bowley: Mr. L. Xnvier | 102 suits pyjamas, 126 white woollen caps, was in No. 9 shed at the time of the 30 flannel vests, 16 sleeveless swesters,

8 pairs socks, 9 face cloths, 27 mops, 46 pairs mittens, 96 pairs, slippers, 28 pairs say where the sheds were over stretcher boots, 2 mufflers, 80 white crowded. He tried to get into the woollen belts, 13 pairs white woollen bed socks, 7 bags swabs, 2 pillows, 2 quilts, 67 eye bandages.

Sent in January to Hon. Supt., Red Cross Depot, Bombay: 60 pairs cloth

U.S.R.C. under Mrs. Kelowir :- 670 rolled bandages, 10 capelline bandages, 9 many tailed bandages, 700 swabs, 84 square sysabs, 9 shrouds, 16 wool caps, 6 balaciava helmete, 8 mufflers, 10 pairs wook socks, 8 pairs surgical stockings, 28 scrubbers.

HELENA MAY INSTITUTE, under Mire Journay -- 804 rolled bandages; 6 surgical stockings scrubbers 8 head bandages. PEAK CLUB WORK PARTY, under Mira

Mrs. Michelome Two cause some to Major Davis / Red J. N. L. W. L. Tross Depot Blands y-26 suits pyrapast (Registrates and Resolution 117 shirts 141 insudiscultures (100 page)

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many-tailed bandages and 1,008 swabs.

socks, 18 pairs mittens, 62 muffers, 17 helmets, 7 wood caps, 54 milk covers, 12 eye bandages, 25 many tailed bandages, 4 surgical caps, 28 face cloths, 72 towels,

I pair slippers. To Colonel Gordon Hall, 27th General Hospital, Egypt :- 384 rolled bandages. Bil many-tailed bandages, 12 eye bandages, 62 suits pyjamas, 183 shirts, 12 vests, 271 handkerchiefs, 228, pairs of socks, 7 pairs knee caps, 31 pairs bed socks, 26 pairs mitters, 85 mafflers, 19 helmets, 26 wool caps, 103 milk covers, surgical caps, & cholers belts, 12 hospital squares, 72 towals, 100 face cloths, 18 mops and 1 pair slippers.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE, under Miss Lounzmo:-20 pairs socks, 19 pairs bed socks, 11 mufflers. 36 khaki handkorchiefs, 120 food covers, 72 knitted scrubbers, 44 dozen gauze awabs, 1,800 rolled bandages. "

WENLEYLN CHURCH WORK PARTY, under Mrs. Robinson :- 1,692 rolled bandages. (January and February), 42 mufflers, 20 shirts, 26 scrubbers, 8 vests, 68 handkerchiefs, 2 pairs mittens, 1 pair surgical stockings, I flannel patchwork quilt, I NAVAL AND DOCKYARD, under Mrs.

Sandenan :- 5 shirts, 10 vests, 2 pylamas, 21 socks, 11 mufflers, 7 caps, 2 hed socks,

The following letter has been received :-E. E. F.

January 15, 1918. DEAR MRS. KEIGWIN,-Lieut. Harris has told me, in one of his letters, that you were largely responsible for getting together the fine collection of warm caps that recently reached us from Hongkong- in The caps have been a great boon to the men who, for the first time during the war, have had to face real wintry conditions-from mid-December to the end of February the weather in the Judean Hills alternates between torrential rains and bitter cold; snow falling as a rule several

times each year at Jerusalem. The helmets were sent on as soon as possible after their arrival at our depot and reached us in Xmas week when we were in the hills within a few miles of Jerusalem, and when the weather was doing its worst for us.

The mufflers we gave to the Indian Officers and they were much appreciated. For all your trouble and work we are very grateful and I hope you will accept our best thanks and through you to all your helpers. The men splendidly maintained the reputation of the H.K. Str.-during the advance in Palestine-and that our efforts were not unappreciated is shown by the prompt award of a Military Cross for Lieut Evenden who came with us from Hong kong, two D.C.Ms. and three Military Medals—all for specific acts of gallantry Again thanking you for your efforts or

our behalf .- Yours sincerely. (Signed) D. A. MOORE. ALICE D. HICKLING. Acting Secretary.



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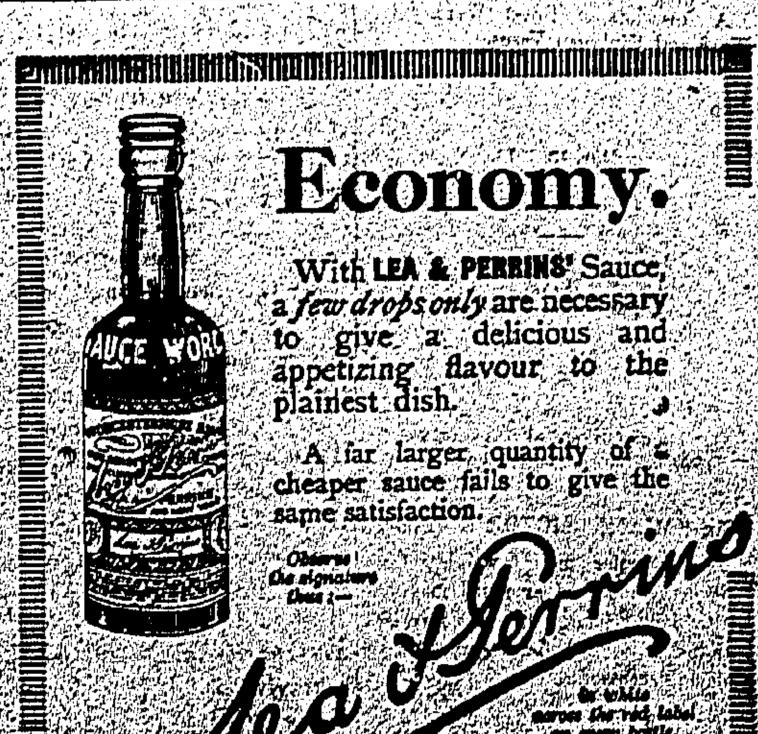


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HAYNES-ACKERLEY .- On March 8, at

DEATH.

CUNHA.-On March 7, at Shanghai, J.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

RAILTON. Mr. N. L. RAILTON and

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, Mar. 13, 1918

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To-day's Advertisements

CANTON MEDICAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CANTON MEDICAL MISSION-ARY SOCIESY will be held at the CANTON CLUB THEATER (by kind permission), WEDNESDAY, March 20, 1918, at 3.30 P.M.

Business:-To receive the Annual Report of the Directors of the Canton Medical Missionary Union and to consider any other business brought before the meeting. J. M. WRIGHT, M.D.,

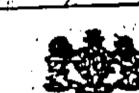
Secretary.

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE IS HEREBY CIVEN that The ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the office of the Company, 2 Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on MONDAY, 25th March, 1918, at 12 Noon, for consideration of the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1917. The SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 25th instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. R. M. DYER, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 13, 1918.



PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instructions from THE NAVAL STORE OFFICER, to sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY,

the 10th March, 1918, at 2,30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voux Road, Corner of Ice House Street. One UPRIGHT PIANO by

BRINSMEAD & SONS, London. Terms :- Cash. HOUGHES & HOUGH. Auctioneers

Hongkong, Mar. 13, 1918.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED).

SATURDAY, the 18th March, 1918, at 11 a.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,

Des Voeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street, . A CONSIGNMENT OF WHITE GOODS,

Comprising: Single and Double Bed Sheets, Satin Quilts, Dumask Table Cloths and Serviettes, Pillow Cases, Sheetings, Turkish Towels Bath Sheets, Glass Cloths, etc., etc.,

A few lots of Brass Ware, Glars Ware and Kinkosan Vases.

Auctioneers

Hongkong, Mar. 13, 1918.

PUBLIC AUGTION.

HE Angelsiabled practice man tions to sell by Public Auction,

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED). TUESDAY

the 19th March, 1918, commencing st 2.20 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8. Des Vieux Road, Corner of ION HOUSE STEER,

Six "MIAMI" MOTOR CYCLES. tools and accessories.

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Hongkong, Mar. 13, 1918

TERMS :- Cash. HUGHES & HOUGH,

hold all that she nominally acquires by the Treaty of Peace with Russia she will have to recall to the Eastern Front large numbers of troops that have in the past few months been transferred to other theatres. The spirit of Hussia revolts against a

NEWS-OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Parcel Post service to piaces in Szechuan Province is suspended until

will not be held this year.

In future, mail for Kongmoon will be closed at the General Post Office and at Sheungwan Br. P.O. at 5 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; on other days as at present. hall, Staffordshire, to IDA

In connection with the cerebrodaughter of the late Francis Edward Ackerley, West Derby, spinal meningitis epidemic, we have been requested to state that atomizers have been installed at Kowloon Railway Station and also at the Yaumati Disinfecting station, for the use of the S. Cunha, China Customs Service, Public.

Given favourable weather, to morrow's Flower and Vegetable Show at the Botanical Gardens, held under the auspices of the Hongkong family express their heartfelt. Horticultural Society, should prove one of the most successful shows ever held in the Colony. There are more entries than last year and despite the dry and cold weather experienced, the exhibits promise to be exceptionally fine.

DEATH INQUIRY.

An inquiry was held at the Magistracy this afternoon, over the death of a Chinese stall holder named Chan Ping TESTING THE ALLIED FRONT, at the Western Market, who died whilst under arrest for gambling.

Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe acted as the THE results of the tests which the Coroner and the jury was composed of Messrs. F. Perry, F. Hall and A. Sepher past week on the Western Front can Mr. Leo. d'Almada appeared hardly give him much assurance of behalf of the widow of of the deceased. that, on medical recommendation, advertised offensive comes to be the Coroner outlining the case said that have to be temporarily abandoned. launched. Where the enemy has according to Police evidence, the gained any success at all it has been deceased was arrested for gambling in the street on the 12th of Feby last. The man was taken to the Police static n result in several instances by the Chinese constable who effected the arrest, and whilst on the way, he had an attack of the heart and died! British Commanders on the Front The deceased's relatives however, as maintained that the deceased was to "whether this great German not gambling at all. He was on his way If it is home from work when he was stopped the enemy commanders that such a from him. He refused and it was

defence is prepared along the entire bringing about his death. Dr. McKenny, who had made a post Switzerland that the German armies mortem examination deposed that the wherever they attack will be exposed deseased had advanced acrtic disease of to slaughter on a scale unprecedented the heart and a degenerated main in the bloody battles of artery. Death was due to rupture of

three and a half the heart. In raply to Mr. D'Almada, witness death considering deceased's condition. Deceased might have lived for a year or shadowed in a telegram from Berne so assuming that there was no excitewhich death might onsue, but he

of the status quo ante in the West In reply to the Coroner, witness said with undisturbed enjoyment of her that it was usual to find marks on the

people. It has yet to be proved that on going up to them he saw that they were gambling. The crowd dispersed dragooned the nominal Government was left alone on the mattress on ward to with interest. of a disunited Russia into accepting which they were sitting, picking up some money which he put in a hag. is a real and lasting peace. The Witness arrested him Another connaws which is leaking out of Russia stable came and helped him to tension gear driven armourd magneto despite the rigorous censorabip of the take up the mattress and the cash tray while witness was holding on to the with fixed spark, patent leverless Bolsheviks, shows that the sword is deceased. Whilst on the way to the not yet sheathed in Russin. The Police Station, about 30 to 40 yards away | Trawith Chamberlain's Pain Balm at from the scene of the arrest, deceased all times. Sprains may be cured in azgressive imperialism disclosed in stumbledandfell on the ground. Witness | truch less time when promptly treated tie so called Peace conditions has lasked him what was the matter and made peace impossible for the receiving no reply he called to the other constable and together they lifted the by discerned that if Germany is to

adjourned until to-morrow at 2.15 n.m. | keeper.

AFFAIRS IN CHINA.

Router's Service to the China Mail. ANXIETY IN PERING.

PEXING, Mar. 12, . Teheng Tso Ling, the Military sterling amounted to £7,020, which humiliating peace, and with General Governor of Mukden, is defying the sum was remitted to Sir Charles ALEXIEFF organising a great force, Government's orders, and has sent Addis, Hongkong & Shanghai Bankevents may yet take a turn in Russia troops, into Chihli, ostensibly en ing Corporation, London, with that may serve to upset German route to the South, to fight the request by the Committee of St. culculations and aid the Allies to some rebels, but the arrival of several Andrew's Society that he undertake thousands of troops at Langlang, the allocation of the fund in accordapparently en youth to Peking, is ance with the objects for which causing anxiety here.

contemporary says that Chang Jok Lum is trying to get the provinces to agree to the re-instatement of Tunu Ki him. On the other hand, Tsen Chun graphed to the President urging him Scottish Hospital, Paris ..... to take definite action against Chang Ten Auxiliary Hospitals in sinding, troops to the capital, Scotland, in sums of £100 saying that, if there is trouble among each owing to several reasons the Lusitano the northern leaders the general Recreation Club Annual Athletic Sports, situation will become still more compricated. Tuan Ki Jui on 11th inst. despatched a circular telegram of 5,000 words to the provinces relating to the President's resignation and cabinet situation.

> AMERICAN ENGINEERS ROBBED AND CAPTURED.

PERING, Mar. 12. Bandits have robbed and captured near Yehsian, in Honan, two American engineers, who were carrying a large sum for payment to the surveyors of the proposed ruilway.

A more detailed report received mail from the North says :- The American engineers, Mesers. Kyle and Purcell, and their Chinese assistant have been robbed and captured by bandits near Yehsien, in Honan. The party was going out to inspect the survey work of the proposed railway from Chowkiakow to Singyangfu and were carrying a large sum of money. The escort of twenty. soldiers with the party resisted the bandits and a running fight ensued till. their ammunition was exhausted, when the party surrendered. Two Chinese engineers escaped and reported the outrage, which is almost without precedent in North China.

ومعارب والمراخ والماسوالة الإيامة والتوميهون PINKIE AND THE PAIRIES.

- PLAY TEMPORARILY ABANDONED.

The A. D.: C. regretfully announce After the jury had been sworn in, rehearsals for "Pinkie and the Fairies" It is expected, however, to produce the play in the autumn when it is hoped that the services of those already enlisted will still be available.

THE CATHEDRAL ORGAN,

The organ in St. John's Cathedral it will be with the knowledge of by some persons who demanded money which has been undergoing the process of re-construction for nearly eight months, is to be re-opened on Monday next 'at 9.15 p.m. when Mr. Denman Fuller will give a their generous contribution to relief of Recital. Always a fine instrument sufferers by this calamity. very few until they hear the results now obtained can have any conception of what has been done. With JAPAN STEEL SCANDAL INVOLVES the introduction of electric blowing said that excitement would accelerate the insertion of pneumatic action in parts of the instrument has been possible, and this means that it has ment. Considering the disease of the been possible to enormously extend heart, a blow in the region over the the resources of the organ, particuknow better than the directors of the hear; might cause excitement from larly as regards the pedal departsaw no signs of it. Witness added ment. The wind pressure has been as that indicated in the telegram that the fear and excitement that might increused throughout and the tone -viz; on the basis of a restoration follow an arrest might have accelerated of the reeds in particular thus much improved; some three or four stops have been added, but perhaps the transportation of coal. 236 gains in the East is such a settle body when a blow was struck, but not most remarkable feature of the instrument is the wonderful brilliance ment as the Entente Powers would By Inspector Kent. If a man were and power now obtainable from such "peace offensive" as the Ger- certainly expect to find marks on his A small history, of the organ and an Directors employees, private shipbuilders account of what has been done is being prosecuted have committed A Chinese constable gave evidence being issued with the programme: suicide, including Mr. Oshikawa, the to that whilst on duty on Feb. 12th he the a crowd of people in Queen's Road the event, which is in the fature of President of the Government Steel and delude the Germin Contal, near the Western Market, and a fandmark not only in the history of the Cathedral but, in the musical quired the personal direction of the the "peace" the Germans have when they saw him and the deceased life of the Colony, will be looked for

> TIVERY family should be provided Lame back, lame shoulder pains in the some of the diseases for which it is

HEATHER DAY FUND. ALLOCATION OF THE MONEY

The proceeds of Heather Day and St. Andrew's Fair converted into was raised. Telegraphic advice was recently received from Sir Charles [A Peking telegram to our Chinese Addis recommending that the money be allocated as follows:

Scottish National Hospital, Springburn Hospital, Glas-No. 11 Stationary Hospital,

Scottish Women's Hospital, Villers Cotterets\_.... Scottish Women's Hospital, Salonika ..... Elsie Inglis Hospital, Royaumont

The Committee of St. Andrew's Society has unanimously approved of Sir Charles Addis's recommendations and he has been requested to distribute the fund accordingly.

THE HALIFAX DISASTER. GRATEFUL THANKS TO HONGKONG.

The following despatch has been received by the Government from the Secretary of State for the Colonies relating to the disaster at Halifax, Nova Scotia:-

> Downing Street, 10th January, 1918.

SIR-I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Severn's telegram of the 13th December reporting that a sum of £10,000 had been yoted by the Government of Hongkong for the relief of sufferers in the Halifax disaster and to inform you that I communicated the message embodied therein to the Governor-General of Canada and I have instructed the Crown Agents for the Colonies, to pay this amount to the High Commissioner for Canada.

I transmit herewith a copy of a telegram of thanks from the Governor-General of Canada, and I should be glad if you would communicate it to the Legislative Council of Hongkoug. I have, etc.

(Sd.) WALTER H. LONG.

Governor, Sir F. H. May, K C.M.G., Hongkong.

[Telegram] From the Governor-General of Canada to the Secretary of State for the Colonics. Dated 22nd December, 1917. (Received, Colonial Office, 1.50 p.m. 22nd December).

December. 21st. With reference to your telegram 14th December Government of Canada desire me to express their grateful thanks for very kind message from Government of Hongkong on the occasion of terrible catastrophe which has visited Halifax and also for

OYER 100.

OFFICIALS UNDER ARREST FOR BRIBERY.

A Reuter's message from Osaka dated he 6th inst says: The Fukuoka (Kiushu) authorities have just removed the ban on the publication of the details of a sensational case of bribery in connection with the sale of the output of the Government Steel Works at Yawata and also the

The persons being prosecuted number 117 and include officials of the Yawata Works and of the Kiushu Division of the Government Railway and the Board of

The magnitude of the case has re-Procurator-General Mr. Hiranuma, who has been in Osaka twice recently. Northern Kiushu, which is the Pittsburg of Japan, is now a veritable hornets nest. Further arrests are Prected as the investigation is sti

BEST MEDICINE MADE.

better medicine cannot be made than Chamber ain's Cough Remedy: side and chest and rhoumatic pains are It relieves the lungs, opens the secre ions, sids expectoration and assists especially valuable. Try this liniment usture in restoring the system to a Russian people, and through the mist deceased and put him into a rickshaw and become acquainted with its qualities boalty condition. Besides, it contains of events in Russa it can clearly and brought him to the Police Station, and you will never wish to be without it no opintes and is perfectly safe to take After further syldence the case was For rale by all Chemists and Store For sale by all Chemists and Store

WAR SAVINGS.

FIFTEENTH LIST.

The following amounts totalling \$84,355 have been received by the Hongkong and South: China War Savinge Association for the post month from the members whose official numbers are given below, and invested in Struits Sottlements War Loan at 6 per cent.

Application forms for membership may be had of all the Banks or from

the undersigned. Moneys in any currency, dividend warrants and bank notes are all accepted. 39,700,-No. 850, 0,000,-No. 268. 4:500,-No. 739. 3,000.-No. 881. 2,300,—No. 253. 500 . 2,250.—, 814.,

2,000.—Nos. 85, 885 1,860.-No. 780. 1,500,-Nos. 877, 681, 237. 1,350.-Noc 814. 1.300.—No. 888.

1,250,-No. 237. 1,000.—No. 508. 1.000.-Nos. 879, 560, 732, 35, 886. 860.—No. 208. 805.-No. 73. 680.—No. 229.

650.—No. 248. 600.-No. 889. 560.—No. 671. 500.—Nos. 735, 853, 729, 1, 803, 883,

210, 220, 396, 853, 607. 450.—Nos. 22, 754. 400.—Nos. 230, 454, 325, 674. 380.-No. 729. 850.—Nos. 184, 846, 184.

330.-No. 725. 300.—Nos. 698, 812, 604, 722, 697, 414, 440, 696, 477, 531, 775, 250,—Nost 291, 470, 719, 785.

210.-No. 567. 200,-Nos. 429, 624, 45, 176, 86, 230, 29, 604, 772, 420, 420, 307,

· 450, 715. 180.—No. 682. 180.—No. 662. 150.—Nos. 845, 286, 787, 509. 145.-No. 282. 140 -No. 580. 135.-Nos. 878, 699. 130.-Nos. 74, 216, 31.

125.—No. 177. 120.—No. 419. 110.-No. 472. 105.—No. 866, 100.—Nos. 512, 10, 295, 248, 811, 247,

175, 757, 801, 73, 137, 348, 248, 504, 652, 690, 811.

80.-Nos. 86, 95. 75.—Nos. 871, 118, 144. 70.—Nos., 810, 336, 60.—Nos. 837, 486, 77.

55.—No. 213. 50.-Nos. 232, 756, 52, 874, 809, 308; 471, 79, 790, 788, 128, 825, 129, 136, 137, 277, 278, 141, 145, 362, 860, 363, 409, 681, 99, 167, 379, 777, 105, 108, 861, 862, 112, 89,9510, 749, 750, 836, 495, 547, 68, 165, 251, 849, 208, 552, 712.

40.—Nos. 361, 195, 143, 269. 35,-Nos. 593, 133, 84, 361. 30.-Nos. 874, 188, 738, 75, 124, 131, 287, 110, 75, 240, 185, 255,

25.—Nos. 120, 820, 816, 62, 635, 71, 675, 276, 130, 134, 138, 142, 145, 12, 100, 113, 887, 424, 34, 358.

20.-Nos. 889, 778, 833, 14, 72, 76 -868, 506, 281, 150, 781, 60, readers:-305, 296, 568, 246, 15.-Nos. 182, 140, 704, 154, 155,

10.—Nos. 70, 352, 501, 194, 358, 311, 688, 689, 311, 186, 198, 606, 18, 301, 507, 891.

5.—Nos. 83, 223, 687, 688, 689, 855 498(156, 157, 172, 217, 218, 864, 189, 5. ...

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Total amount received No. 3 .... \$ 550.00 Straits Currenc 740.00 500.00

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Total ... \$125,454.55 Straits Carrency No. 44 ...£ 13 14 0 114 ... 9 5 0 ... 113 ....

Previously ledged 3,374 14 8 Total .....£3,633, 13 0

No. 233 ..... 800,00 Peros acknowledged ..... 200.00

Total ...... 1,1,00,00 UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD. Hon. Treasurers & Secretaries.

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE

Orders issued by Mr. E. C. Jenkin, D.S.P. (R.).

GOOD SERVICE MEDALS. His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant Good Service Medals to the undermentioned members of the Police Reserve Force :-Chief Inspector and Fergeant Major G. E. Roylance. Chief Inspector D'Almada. Chief Inspector Sirdar Khan. Chief Inspector J. W. Wong. Chief Inspector (Musketry) S. J. Staff Inspector Witchell (original)

Staff Inspector Eldon Potter (original Staff Inspector Arculli. Staff Inspector Fothergill (original member). Inspector A.E.S. Alves. Inspector C. M.S. Alves. Inspector C. C. Moon

member). Inspector Eustace (original member).
Troop Inspector Genz. Surgeon Inspector Thomas. Inspector Saffied. Inspector Wei Wing Sam. Bandmaster da Costa Conductor Conzales. C.S. Major Khawas Khan.

C.S. M for R.D. Wilks. Crown Sergeant 7 . Lutterfield (original member). Crown Sergeant 554 A. D. Barretto. Sergeant Drummer Wong Shan Nin-Sergeant 843 W. S. Bailey.

Troop Sergeant 630 J. Arnold (original member). P.C. 659 G. Grimble foriginal member).
P.C. 682 A. Treson (original member). P.C. 678 C. H. Kin (original member). P.C. I Mow Fung.

PATROLNEN. Warning Officers are required to re-860, 600, 844, 118, 122, 125, port to this office the total number of Crown Sorgeants, Sergeants and Con-175, 757, 801, 73, 137, 348, stables available for Patrol duty, stating 553, 584, 790, 36, 502, 537, as far as possible the members resid-295, 350, 549, 793, 548, 221, inz in the Peak, Central, West Point, 272, 204, 401, 535, 678, 42, Eastern, Kowloom, Yaumati and Hunghom districts respectively.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES. Members are reminded that a certificate other than that of a Surgeon Superintendent will not be accepted unless confirmed by the latter. Confirmation may be obtained by Warning Officers or through this office.

Transferred from Hongkong Defence P.C. 428 J. E. Eldridge ex London Metropolitan Police and Hongkong P.C. 456 J. Brook, ex South African Constabulary and Hongkong Police. By Order,

T. F. Hough. A.S.P. (B.) and Adjutant

HONOURS FOR SHANGHAI MEN

The following extracts from the Lon-78, 270, 271, 128, 147, 705, don Gasette will be of interest to ou-

MILITARY CROSS. 2 Lt. Herbert Castall Gray, Union Insurance Society of Canton (Shanghai Light Horse), R.F.A., Spec. Res For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to 880, 881, 121, 474, 189, 194, duty when ucting as artillery liaisons 497, 751, 882, 299, 629, 587, officer. During very heavy shelling, by which his headquarters duz-ont had been set on fire, he remained behind to rescue a wounded man from the flames. There was a store of mortar ammunition 18, 507, 683, 831, 463, 57, 60, in the dug-out, which exploded im-160 . 485 . 504 . 595, 737, 307, mediately after he had left. He them 808, 706, 161, 162, 163, 164, | promptly and with great coolness found another telephone station; under heavy shell fire, and got into communications with his bettery.

2/Lt. (T./Ospt.) Arthur Cecil Lightfout. Asiatic Petroleum Co. (Shanghaz Machine gun Section) Notts and Derby R. Spec. Res .- For conspicuous gallantre and devotion to duty during an attack on a hostile position. He successfully captured numerous strong points, several muchine guns, and over 100 prisoners, although his company was twice. counter attacked, and was continually under heavy shell fire . The success of his battalion was largely and to his gallantry and determination and the magnificent example which he set to his

PROMOTIONS, RIC. D. C. L. L. 2nd Lieut J. R. Hattler, Whangpoo Conservancy, (Special Reserve) is seconded for service with the Indian Army in the rank of Lieut (oz. prob.) 25th July, 1917. Commands and Staff :- Temp Capt. C. A. McLennan (China Muthal Life InsuranceCo.), General List, is appointed D. A. Q. M. G. 18th November, 19.7. A. S. C.—Temp (aptain W. G. Higgins, (Fearon, Daniel and Co.) A. C. 3.

to be Temp. Major. Labour Corps -To be Temp. 2nd Lieut Regimental Sergt Major O. A. Peake (Electricity Dept., S. M. C.) from Royal Scots. Garrison Bett Yorkshire L. L. Temp. Capt. J. E. Needham (Public Works

Dopt. S. M. C.) from West Yorks, Rogt. to be Temp. Captain, 22nd November.

#### THE WESTERN FRONT.

LIVELY BOMBARDMENTS.

London, Mar. 12. A French communiqué states:---There were fairly lively bombardments at night-time on the right of the Mense, in the region of Reillon.

Ancerviller and Loudin. A German neroplane was brought down on the night of the 11th inst. north of Soissons by our special guns. Three of the occupants, two of whom were officers, have been taken, prisoners."

#### RIGGING THE GERMAN PRESS.

#### FOR A NEW PEACE OFFENSIVE.

London, Mar. 12. A telegram from Berne says that the Wilhelmstrass has ordered the German newspapers, to concentrate on a new peace offensive, based on the idea of balancing the gains in the East against the status quo in the

## THE MENACE IN SIBERIA

#### ... SHINA WARNS THE BOLSHEVIKS.

PEKING, Mar. 12. A message from Harbin states:-General Semenoff, the Cossack leader, has been obliged to retire. and has taken up his position near Manchuli station.

The Chinese Commander has warmed the Bolsheviks that an invasion of Chinese territory would be regarded as an act of war declaring that General Semenoff's force represents t the Russian Provisional Government, which China recognised.

The Cossacks have arrested Bolshevik Teaders at Blagovestchensk, where they disarmed the Bolshevik

Shanghal, Mar. 12. The Bolshevik leaders at Irkutsk states:have telegraphed to the Chinese authorities of Manchuria that they

The Chinese authorities replied, refusing to consider General Semenoff

RUSSIAN SUPPORT FOR JAPANESE INTERVENTION.

Lospon, Mar. 12. Dr. E. J. Dillon, writing to the Daily Telegraph, gives the gist of numerous letters received from representative men in Russia, declaring that the Germans have already secured the support of important financial and social interests in Russia for their schemes. An arrangement has actually been reached to restore the Monarchy.

Dr. Dillon's correspondents believe. that the schemes can be thwarted because other influential and active elements will be overjoyed if the Entente restored order. The former prejudice and suspicion of Japanese intervention has disappeared during the last few weeks, and the Japanese could reckon on the co-operation of numerous political and military elements if the Japanese entered as officers at Vladivostock alone. The disturb the peace of Austria-Hungary Polish army is the most effective and spread chaos in Russia. ·military organisation in the country and many of the present supporters of the Bolsheviks will change sides immediately, if the fear of shooting they have been disarmed and interned and imprisonment is removed.

#### GERMANY'S SCHEME.

A GREAT CANAL FROM BALTIC TO BLACK SEA

COPENHAGEN, Mar. 12. The Politiken states that the Russo-German. Commercial Treaty will include a plan for the construction of a great canal from the Baltic to the Black Sea, and that German financiers are willing to finance it.

# PROMOTIONS IN THE NAVY.

BIGGEST CONCESSION TO LOWER DECK.

# LONDON, Mar. 12.

The Admiralty announces the promotion of fifty Warrant Officers the runk of Lieutenant, which is the biggest concession made to the lower deck since the beginning of

#### EMPLOYMENT FOR EX-ARMY AND NAVY OFFICERS.

LONDON, Mar. 12. A scheme is afoot, under most influential auspices, to provide ex-Navy and ex-Army officers with suitable employment at Home and

abroad. The support of the biggest employers in the United Kingdom una in the Dominions is being enlisted.

#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

#### THE WESTERN FRONT.

FURTHER ENEMY ATTEMPTS

LONDON, Mar. 11.

We repulsed three raids, following a heavy bombardment, in the neighbourbood of Armentieres. The enemy attempted a large raid this morning, his infantry attacking on a thousand yard front north-eastwards of Passchen-

A party entered a post southwards of Houthulst Forest; but we immediately re-captured it.

SIR D. HAIG ON AVIATION. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig

reports:-Haze interfered with air work on Sunday. Nevertheless four hundred bombs were dropped on Menin, Roulers Ledeghem, Cambrai and Solesmes railway stations and other targets. We destroyed three balloons and

brought down six aeroplanes. We drove down seven. Four of ours are missing.

#### JAPAN AND SIBERIA.

LONDON, Mar. 11.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Balfour stated that the Government had no information as to Japanese forces having arrived in Siberia.

He could not say when he would be able to give information regarding the proposed Japanese intervention.

## FURTHER ADVANCE NORTH OF

JERUSALEM. DESPERATE RESISTANCE BY

LONDON, Mar. 11. An official message from Palestine

Our northward advance astride the Jerusulem Nablus road has continued through most precipitous and difficult of the Press. Therefore he advocated have no unfriendly intentions against | country, in the face of an obstinate renumerous concealed machine-guns.

We progressed 3,000 yards ou a twelve mile-front, securing the high ridges overlooking the north bank of the Wadi Eljib and repulsing three

counter-attacks. We consolidated the new line northwards of Wadi Auia. Our aeroplanes bombed and machine-

gunned enemy troops and transport on the Nablus road. The operations

#### OPERATIONS IN MESOPOTAMIA.

RETREATING TURKS BOMBED

LONDON, Mar."11. An official message from Mesopotamia

The Hit garrison continued its retirement, and coccupies Khanbaghdadi twenty-two miles above. Hit. Our sircraft attacked the retreating Turks and inflicted heavy casualties.

#### POLAND AND THE UKRAINE PEACE TERMS.

ZURICH, Mar. 11. Count Andressy writes, in a Budapest i paper, that Poland must be taken from Russis and brought under the Hapsburgs, otherwise Polish agitations will

The Neue Zuercher Zeilung states that, owing to the ferment in connection. with the Ukraine peace terms among the Polish Legionaries at the Front, in Austria-Hungary.

AMSTERDAM, Mar. 11. A Berlin telegram announces that M. Tchicherin has already ordered the Livonia in cattle-trucks, which was in contravention of the Peace Treaty, and against which the German Foreign Under Socretary (Herr von Dem Buscho)

## IMPRISONED AVIATORS.

### TO BE RELEASED.

LONDON, Mar. 12. The Press Bureau announces that the War Prisoners Depurtment was informed to-day that the aviators Scholtz and Wookey, imprisoned for dropping, pamphlets, would be released and returned to their camps. The month's notice of intended reprisals would have

## THE SILVER MARKET

LONDOX, Mar. 12.

#### NEWSPAPER PROPRIETORS AS MINISTERS.

## POLICY DEFENDE DBY PREMIER

LONDON, Mar. 11. In the House of Commons, replying Mr. Chamberlain, the Premier disagreed with the contention that owners and directors of newspapers should not hold Ministerial offices. Lord Northeliffe held no Ministerial office, while Lord Rothermera and Lord Beaverbrook gave up all direction of their papers as soon as they were appointed Ministers. They were both phasised the importance of propaganda, which the enemy used with deadly inevitable prejudices, which the Government apprehended might be excited, they concluded they must follow that example as the only means of securing effective presentation of the Allied cause. His one object in this as in all other Government appointments was to secure the men best qualified to do the work efficiently. (Cheers). He reiterated that he was in no wise responsible for the attacks on Admirals and Generals. had been suggested by the hon, member that his staff inspired such attacks and he thoroughly investigated the matter and unhesitatingly declared that the imputation was utterly unfounded and

### MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S REGRET.

satisfactory, but there had been too much coincidence between the newspaper attacks on Government servanta and the removals of the latter. regretted that the Premier had not made a clean cut and swept away for ever the atmosphere of suspicion and

WHY LORD KITCHENER WAS MADE K. G.

Mr. Asquith deplored the organised press campaigns in war time against soldiers and sailors, the first of which was against Lord Kitchener, which he. Mr. Asquith, felt most keenly. Consequently he advised the King to bestow the Order of the Garter upon Lord Kitchener at the earliest opportunity, which His Majesty did. It was of the utmost importance that the Government should be free from suspicion of direct association with the operations influence on the policy of the Govern-

#### PREMIER'S TRIBUTE TO LORD NORTHCLIFFE

debate, accepted the fundamental principles laid down by Mr. Asquith. infternoon there had been no real challenge of the action of the Government. He concluded by paying all for through thick and thin, through tribute to Lord Northcliffe from the good and evil report! Even though those standpoint of news organization as man of genius and one of the greatest news organisers in the world.

#### PEKING UNION MEDICAL COLLEGE.

Dr. Franklin C. McLean, Director of the Peking Union Medical College, has been commissioned as Lieutenant in the Medical Reserve Corps of the United States Army, and ordered to active service. He is now in charge of a mobile medical unit that assigned from time to time to been planning to extend the service of emergency work in different locations when there is need of special medical assistance. For the present lie will continue to exercise general supervision over the work that is being done at home in preparation for the starting of the new school, but it very uncertain when he will be able to return to China.

In the meantime Dr. Henry S. Houghton, formerly Dean of the order will be touched as on the outward has been appointed Acting Director Meerkamp alid Company are the Manila lederal officials, it may be said that the under capable caderahip could march the exception of some few promontation of the College: Dr. Houghton, has steamers between Manila-San Francisco. return of the persons deported from has been appointed Acting Director lately been in charge of the New Hongkong and Java Board, and his just returned to China to take up his new work, which Goentoer, the Rembrands, the Grotius, will consist very largely in supervising the construction of the new buildings, and in developing the organization of the pre-medical school which was opened last autumn. Dr. C. W. Young will continue as Dean

of the College until the Symmer, when he will return to the United States on furlough for special study in preparation for his future work in situation and to greatly belp passenger the new school.

Rapid progress is being made with the new buildings at Peking. It is expected that the buildings for the departments of anatomy, physiology and chemistry will be completed by the end of this year, and the hospital institute, by the end of 1919.

#### WAR ORATORY.

THE PRIME MINISTER'S REAL GIFT OF FIRE

.The "Spectator," writing of the Premier's address at Gray's Inu, says :-No one could have made a speech more fitted to the moment than Mr. Lloyd George made last week. He has the real rifts of fire and persuasion and the wrical touch. If we have a criticism to make of a speech so admirable in form temper, and teste, it is that, while we were reading it was seemed to be living life again as it was lived more than a year ago. For Mr. Lloyd George dealt exceptionally able men. Lord-Rother- which required to be satisfied when mere had already reorganised an Mr. Asquith was forced from office and his administration thereof was an to be satisfied forthwith. But the fact unqualified success. Lord Beaverbrook is, as Mr. Lloyd George told us in the organised the Canadian propaganda speech, that the vital problems of manmost successfully. The Premier em- power, of urreving the nation, of re-arranging, industrial life on a war basis, of providing niore tonnage, and of which the enemy used with deadly ensuring greater economy in the use of, effect in Russia and Italy. Lord North-food and a larger supply of food, are all-cliffs had made a special study of problems still to be solved. We should No think that thousands of readers must by a piece of cord. Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig man better qualified to direct the pro- have experienced the same feeling as paganda in enemy countries could be they read the speech. But the last paganda in enemy countries could be thing we want to do now is to say any-found in the British Empire. The thing unguicious, and indeed the Government was grateful to him for ungracious word, would be singularly taking the post. The propagands in all misplaced, for the truth is that if the other Allied countries and Germany was old national needs still have to be met, conducted almost exclusively by ex one of the first things to do is to throw perienced newspaper men, and despite people into the right attitude for a No speech could possibly, have been better designed to do that. It is said that Mr Lloyd George's attractive

fervour is characteristically But that criticism, though conventionally accepted as true. by nod means covers the whole ground. Mr. Lloyd George has something that much more than Celtie in his literary sense and his choice of words: - It hard saying, that we fear rather a' discouraging one, for all but the very few. but the qualities of a chrysostom appear to be a pure gift. Such qualities cannot natural fount, is implanted in some men and not in others, just as springs appear in some lands and not in others.

A GLOWING RAIMENT OF WORDS. It may be graced and decorated by Mr. Chamberlain said the principles | learning-as, for example, Lord Roselaid down by Mr. Lloyd George were bery graces it-but it cannot be replaced by learning. Learning is no substitute. We may be delighted by a play of philosophic fancy, as we are in Mr. Ballour's righly cultivated speeches, or by Imperial passion assisted by wide reading; which we recognise in Lord Curzon's speeches, but we find something different in Mr. Lloyd George a welling up of thoughts which spontaneously clothe themselves in a growing raiment of words as they reach the surface. The supreme example, of course, of the orathe who always spoke with almost superhuman felicity in his choice words words generally quite simple things nieble and austere was Abraham Lincoln. He learned from the book of life rather than from the printed page, though it is true

that those few models of great literature which he read he pondered and studied with a most attentive and retentive What Mr. Lloyd George succeeds in making us feel above all in that there is a time before us which will put all our endurance to the test, but that it will be an ennobling time. There may be saversity for us, but there cannot be humiliathat the Propaganda Department be tion. For since the world began no man sistance. The enemy is employing absolutely water-tight, without any was ever humiliated by doing his utmost in the name of right. There can be, as without certainty of punishment." And if Germany is allowed to feel that she has profited by a war which .. she de-Mr. Lloyd George, winding up the all the amenities and attractions of life food question. for decent people will go by the hoard of international relations just as much at they would go by the board in a stal and said that after his explanation this if the compelling and restraining hand of the law were suddenly relaxed.

who were once our Allies should finally fall away, not wholly through their own fault perhaps, but partly through circumstances, partly through unpract cul ideals, and partly in order to enjoy some, immediate easing of their agony yet we venture to say that there are those who go on to the end. and end will not be bitter but splendid.

## HONGKONG TO MANILA

DUTCH STEAMSHIP SERVICE

CONTEMPLATED: Eleven Dutch vessels, a Manila contemporary says; will soon make Manila their permanent port of call on both inward and outward voyages. For some time past. Meerkamp and Company had Rotterdam vessels to Manils, but the war caused delay. With the four liners which are now plying between San Francisco, Hongkong and Manila. this fleet of eleven vessels will go far to meet the insistent demand of Manile forbottoms to the United States. The eleven vessels which will make Manila their port of call are now engaged in trade between Can Francisco, Hongkong and Java, and when the new line is inaugurated, their routes, will be from

Hongkong to Manils and thence to Nagasaki, Yokobama, Honolula and San Francisco. The same ports in reverse

der Nederlanden, the Princes Juliana, the the Vondel, the Kawi, the Rindjani, the Wills, the Ophir and the Oranje.

Most of these vessels, are both passenger and freight boats, but they will specialize in passenger traffic. Four will call at Manila ench month two outward bound and two from the The immediate inanguration of this new line of first class steamers is expect ed to give some relief to the freight

traffic across the Pacific TROUBLE AVERTED HAT little cold and Lore throat

### THE MAGISTRACY.

#### LARCENIES FROM TAIKOO DOCKYARD.

Chinese pleaded guilty when charged before Mr. J. R. Wood this morning, with the theft of a brass rod

from the Taikoo Dockyard. It was stated that the brass was found tied to defendant's leg us he was coming out of the docks.

Mr. Wood sentenced the defundant to three months hard labour and four hours' stocks in heu of the hat day. Another Chinese was charged with the theft of a piece of metal plate from the same dockyard.

This man, it was stated, was arrested at the same time as the previous defendant. The plate was discovered about his walst, being suspended from his neck

Defendant, pleading guilty, similar sentence was imposed.

ALLEGED SNATCHING.

A Chinese was charged before Mr Wood this morning, with snatching a leather, bag from Mrs. Mooney, of 11, Sharp Street, Wanchai.

Mrs. Mooney said that at about & p.m. on the 11th instant she was alone Walking up St. Francis Street. When she reached the top of the street the defendant came up to her and anatched the bag from her. She reported the matter to the Police and a detective was sent out with her to find the Oratery, which seems to flow from a defendant. They came upon him a Queen's Road East and when he saw her accompanied by the detective he ran away, but was caught.

A Chinese detective said that defendant, who was pointed out by the lady, was arrested by him, and when searched was found to possess a printed card and a packet of pepper.

Inspector Sim said the complainant gave a very good description of the defendant when she made the report at the Police Station.

all about the theft. He did not steal tions in Shanghai, stated that the condithe bag. The packet of pepper found tions now prevailing were fundamentally on him was to be used for medicinal different from those prevailing in the

Mr. J. R. Wood remanded the case until next Saturday.

CONCRETE SHIPS.

HEAP VESSELS THAT MAY SOLVE THE FOOD PROBLEM.

It is satisfactory to know, in the fami-Mr. Lloyd George said, "no security liar phrase of a shipping expert, that the definite action in any direction himself." responsible authority is "up to its neck. in concrete ships. And concrete ships liberately procured, law and order and may provide one of the solutions of the

These ships should not be difficult expensive to build. Reinforced concrete that is, concrete strengthened with ironis being used in many directions, and has . What a glorious cause is this to fight | been found a cheap, rapid, and generally practicable means of construction. . There seems no technical reason wi

it should not be applied to ships moderate tonnage. Above 3,000 tons however, it is not a good substance, its weight becomes too great for

Concrete ships, easy and cheap build, can be multiplied indefinitely. Furthermore, they can be constructed on inland waterways and launched broadside on as is done on the American Great

This rough and ready ship has encountered the opposition of those who are. triditionally wedded to a ship-shape ship. The cement ship is obviously a make. shift, but it may serve, perhaps, to wenn our more conservative shipbuilders from the narrowness of their views. Since this type is wanted at the pre-

sent moment," what matters whether is shaped like a whale, or a pudding basin, or has the humped back of a came provided it does its work of transports-

# CHINESE LABOUR IN U.S.A.

State wide agricultural and producing the possible anger of tens of thousands steamers between Manila-San Francisco. movement for some stive and per-China's own power of defence is concern ling affairs in China has the course to workers, which has been active and per-China's own power of defence is concern ling affairs in China has the course workers, which has been practice od for her armies are directed against come fervard openly and declare himself. The eleven vessels to touch at Manila, ally abandoned. The reason for this, it each other in mutual destruction instead in favour of the assembling of a Conference of size, are: the Koningin is understood, is that the Rederal Gov- of against the common for this is understood, is that the Rederal Gov- of against the Princes Juliana the crument discouraged any further agita. This is a list of calamities and of purpose of discussing all the questions tion along this line.

> of Defence will urge upon Congress the duced. necessity of removing the restrictions against the bringing in of Mexican work- his capital burned, utterly regardless of of Commecce throughout the capital men. These restrictions consist of a tax of \$8 and a \$5 0 bond for each person thus brought in.

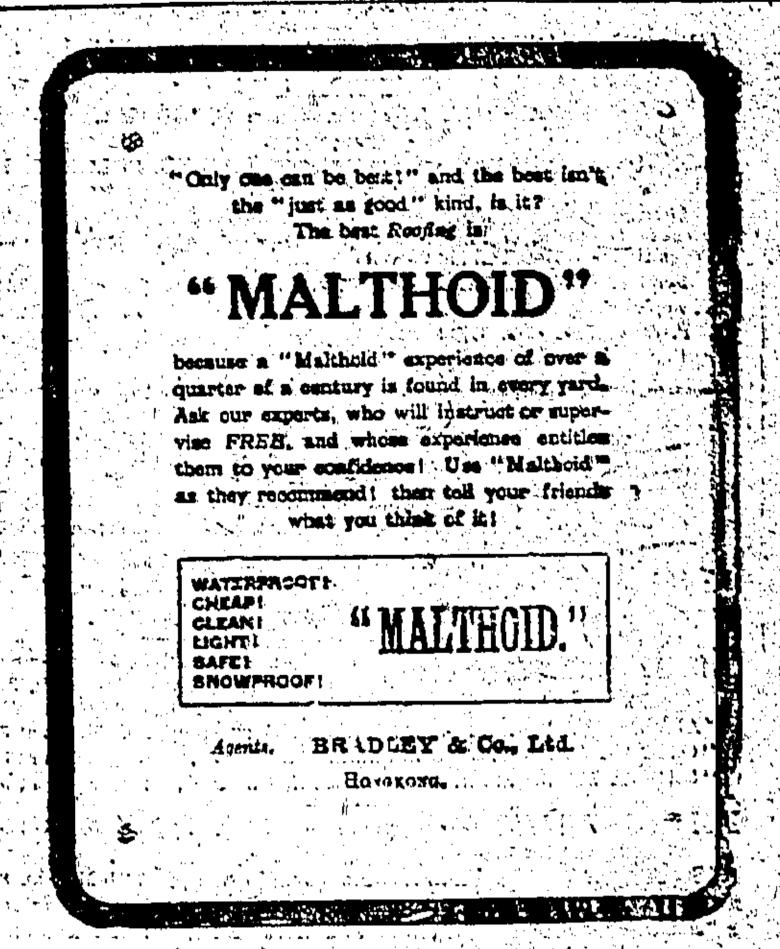
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#### CHINA'S PERILS.

BY EDWARD S. LITTLE IN THE

" N. C. DAILY NEWS." The President, in a recent telegram Defendant said he knew nothing at concerning the proposed peace negotiayear of the Revolution of 1911. What differences were in the President's mind when he penned that message I do not' know, but two important ones

occur to every one. They are:
(1) In 1911 there was in command in Paking in the person of Yuan Sinh kai. a man of resolute will who did not hesitate to take the responsibility of source of revenue, now yields \$71,000,000 making a decision and of acting up on it whereas new. if Chinese current rumour can be believed there is no one in. Peking :who dares take any respon The President himself is said to be so sucrounded by conflicting influences that he is unable to take any amounting to say Tis. 20,000,000 per (2) In 1911 there was a clean cut issue. One group of forces was struggling for the establishment of democracy in the

form of a Republican Covernment, while the other was struggling to uphold autocracy in the persons of the Manchu Dynasty. The issue therefore was clear Repeated inquiries amongst thinese. full to bring to light any well define issue in the present disorders. All whom: I have spoken state that present it is simply and solely a question of individual struggle for power with the personal enjoyment of the plunder that naturally follows. It would, there fore seem that the present condition in China is one that cannot defended on any ground, whatsoever A few individuals for their own private

gain are pushing the country to verge of ruin... INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL DATGERS At the present moment China threatened with a variety of evils. internal and external. Reports from all quarters show the prevalence in various districts of famines, pestilences, earthquakes, floods and other courses

suffering. Urgent'appeals are before eyes in the Public Press for masses people which are estimated to total i huge figure of five millions and who are on the verge of death from starvation lowing to the floods in North China. the top of fall these calamities, ambitions and reckless men arethrowing every armed man they can luy, their upon. amounting to hundreds thousands, into an unjustified civil war devastating vast areas of country

In addition to the internal sorrows there are the dangers, threatening China. from the present world-wide upbenval. She is in a state of war with the most diabolical powers this planet has ever seen. On her northern frontier broken down and whose people are utterly lawless and irresponsible, while from As a result of a recent meeting here of the same direction we cannot overlook

dangers sufficient to tax the resources of that are now at issue in China and find As an alternative to the importation the wealthiest countries and the brains ing a solution of them. It is surely of Chinese labourers, the state Council of the best statesmen that can be pro time that the people through the

Neio is reported to have fiddled while themselves heard namely, the Chambers. the nation's losses and the people's suffer- try and through the Public Press. ingo, but the extent of Mero's lesses are should demand the assembling of such a not a fraction compared to the numbers conference to discuss metional affine of people and monetary values involved in the internecino struggles guing on in China which the responsible rulers seem to view so lightly. PIXASCIAL PROSPERITE.

Side be side with the picture above crawp is another one from the financial pecuniosity. All the Treasures are all ments which would mevitably despers the time empty; and China is a continual into further civil strife.

borrower in the markets of the world? By a fortunate arrangement with the Fitente Powers, coupled with the successful working of the Salt Gabelle and an excredingly high exchange. Chira now has financial tprospects which are rosy beyond all the dreams of statesmen. The following items will illustrate, this

I. The receipts from the Customs to meet the interest demands on locus pledged moon them, this year satisfied every demand and leave a surplus of Tis. 10 ... 0.2001.

.2. The Tariff Revision Commission is now sitting to revise the specific rate which will yield several million taels of additional revenue. 3. The Salt Revenue, which is within the last year or two practically a new

4. By the declaration of war sur indemnities due to the Central Powers and amounting to about Tis 100,000,000 have been cancelled. 5. The Boxer Indemnity interest

6. There is also a revenue accruing

from increased taxation all over the Thina, therefore with these wast sums .at her. disposal is in a unique position of being able easily to liquidate all her recurring limities and to insugurate a system of social and industrial reform throughout the country such as has never heretofore been comsidered possible.

These golden opportunities are being allowed to pass away noused while the wealth of funds at the disposal of the country is being worse than frittered away in destructive civil war. Nations, like individuals, following the same line of action, reach ultimately the position of Lankruntey and rain. Chips

is heading as fast as she can go to this CHINESE PROPLE TO ACT.

The people of China are peaceable and law-abiding. They are altogether sick and tired of the constant turmoil which ambitious men keen un in this country. A group of citizens in a Central China ity has suggested that the people of China to show that they are completely should, one and all refuse to pay taxes to anybody until order has been restored. This is a suggestion which, it universally. acted upon, would produce for the Government a grave crisis. When all the available money of the Treasuries is exhausted, then war will cesse and vast multitudes of armed soldiers will be turned loose upon the country, because there is nothing with which to pay them, and they will holp themselves by becoming bandits and a teror to the inhabitants. Every soldier is required to produce wealth and if the money at the command of the Chinese nation was procountry whose government is perly employed Ching might embark upon an era of prosperity such as abo has nover seen before in the course of

bodies that can now make

All Chinese who have the interest of their country at heart should mean so discuss the relative merits of borth and South and demend the essection of fighting and the assembling immediately. to be possible for any one side in force visw point. I wall the period of Chine's of arms so completely to so idue the modern history she has never had so others as to be able to impress its wi bright ac outlick as at the moment. The upon them. If such a party were for the story of the past decades of China V moment to stick it would only mean the finkness has been one of overlasting im- beginning of all kinds of counter moves. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

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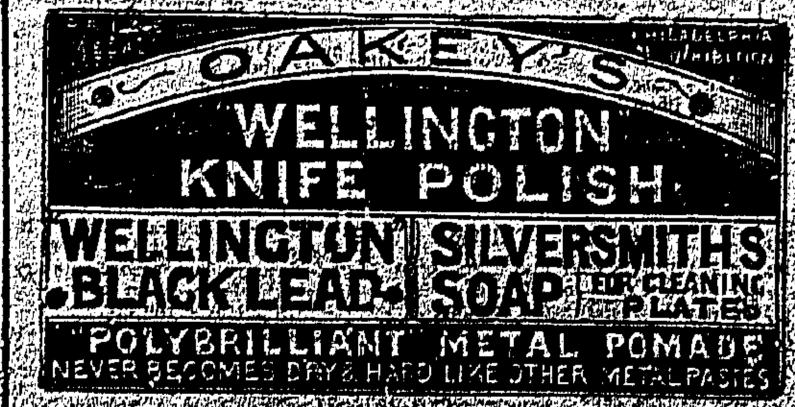
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EDINBURGH, Jan. 14.

INS STAINLESS SHIELD. The German Crown Prince issued New Year Army Order-"With unstained shield and sharp sword we stand at the thebshold of a New Year around our Imperial War Lord, ready to strike and

Through crimson mists of war and hate. With Belgium's bleeding wounds unhealed.

to win, God with us."

This devil-spawned degenerate Holds to the world his " unstained

Unstained!" By God, if his be clean, The Austrian's shield is burnished

The Turk's can show a spotless sheen,

The Bulgar's mirror back the light. Unstained!" Save for the purple blot That marks the blood of unarmed men, Women and habes—Oh damned spot,

No years can make you clean again. Unstained!" Save for the clinging rust That makes its silver radiance dim; The looting, and the ordered lust

That fouls its fare from boss to rim. What skies shall weigh the venging rod. What worlds the awful doom shall

When this Crown Prince gives back to

In blasphemy his " unstained shield!" WILL H. OGILVIE.

THE ENGLISHMAN'S SCOT.

Old Dr. Johnson's attitude to the

derided in England." faithful to life in every respect exit never occur to these novellists that ian conceives an English character tries, it was certain that the latter yielded better results, and consequently it would numbah. It would be quite an also in the long run, have the greater eye-opener to Englishmen; they capacity. This would, on principle, lead might then realise that their r's are to the rejection of the so-called coercive Mr and Mrs Clark Mr and Mrs W. H. like the Germana in Greek, "something to seek."

Then why is the book Scot invari- rates and the impending further increase ably Mac-something-or-other? Ken- of 15 per cent, on goods rates, the neces nedy is not unknown, nor Graham; sity was emphasized of these increased but literature says. Scots are all rates being abolished as early as possible Macs, and no other. And porridge at the meeting, adds Engineering, touch Mr. S. Evans "The whole army of English authors ed upon the iron ore problem. Before will brand me a Hunnish and every the war, he said, 50 per cent of the ore Justing liar, but I do most solemnly state that I have been in Scots house. holds where porridge, is not taken, and outcakes are disliked:"

Scottish Rights Atsociation ever succeed in convincing the English that England is not Britain, and then desire a further field for heroid labours, I suggest the foundation of Mrs G. R. Anderson Leiris a Society for the Propagation of Mr. Geo. & Archbutt Mr.C. Little the Truth About Scotsmen, with headquarters in London."

WHAT THEY SAY.

As the queue lengthens the col

Eat less. Mentless. Wheatless. Treat less. Bleat less. The M'Alpine Highlanders are on Mr. C. O. Bohanan the Italian Front, and the Jordan Highlanders in Pulestine.

ment controlled works in Scotland Mr. W. G. Browell object to saluting officers of the male Mr.J. G. Budd. sex. "Fancy," as one of the girls said, "having to salute a man you have refused!

"Where do you come from? Mr G. T. Christy asked a nurse of a wounded Scot in Mrs R. R. Plunksty. Mr J. Paimier an English military hospital. "Frue Kirkintilloch." Where's that?" Oh, it's about half-way atween Ecclefection an' Auchtermuchty."

GERMANY'S POYERTY IN RAW MATERIALS.

MANUFACTURERS DEMAND FRENCH AND RUSSIAN IRON FIELDS.

The iron and steel manufacturers in Germany, says Engineering, form a compact and very powerful body. They act in concert with manufacturers, such as tool makers engine-builders shipbuilders, Mr V. Goulbourn is keenly felt by the Government, which Mr and Mrs L Gray Mr and Mrs Dashis always alert to further their interests. Scottish people is still rumpant on It will be remembered that the despatch the English side of the Border, of the Pantier to Agadir, which Jokes and stories against them of the sent, a shiver through Europe, was bang went a sixpence type are many in regard to the iron ore deposits the stand-by of the limited English in North Africa, and the desire to secure humourist, recorded in that wonder- a share of them. The potent position ful dialect known only to Southern hold by the so called heavy industries in scribes when they try to represent the Scots accent. It is refreshing, they have been permitted to make during the reference to get a collection of the state of repeated protests from therefore, to get a glimpse of the less-favoured manufacturers. So strong other side of the shield from "C.T." are they that they are now repudiating in the Scots Pictorial. He writes:— all suggestions of conciliating their foes.
"I am an Englishman: I have lived and are insisting that the terms of in Scotland for many years; yet I am not aware that I have met more or within the German Empire. This not aware that I have met more parsimony here than in London, point was brought forward at a recent mr. Italy, or anywhere else where pleasure or profit has landed me. In the matter of Sunday dinners the English working class can shipwards, many manufacturing of F. A. Hubbard, Mr. Thos. Vint. dinners the English working class can corns, shipyards, many manufacturing give points in sumptuousness to the engineers, iron and steel foundries. proletarians and their betters from finishing works, &c., when a resolution lines Mr. W. J. var. Pole to Pole, while the Scots house was passed to the effect that it was Mrs L. M. Joblin meets a little austers in some pocessary for remany to retain the poswife is just a little austere in comparison. But on the whole there is ore deposits and to ensure an efficient Mrs M. Jolley.

In Suctor worth the cheese-par
Supply of Russian iron and man
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Mrs M. Mrs M. Jolley.

Mrs M. Jolley. Scots myth so beloved and garage cres. It was further stated, Mr E. M. Joseph Mr and Mrs continues Engineering, that the endear In the matter of pronunciation, yours of the Union to increase pro-bespatters his pages with r's here which the German iron industry insist; and r's there and r's everywhere. I ed, was necessary, for the home deposits take up a recently published payal would only hold out for four or five take up a recently published novel, decades. It was also important to secure a supply of phospherus to increase the cept-"Ra-ra-ra-ra-ra-ra-ra-ra-ray; he yield of the German soil." The enemies said." And then-"Ay, laddie, Ah've of Germany know that without an extenfor-r-r-gotten the number-r-r. Does sion of her iron ore resources she would, in another fifty years, be unable to carry on a war with ber own iron. Of no less perhaps in the English ear and not importance was the protection of the in the Scots tongue lies the home market against foreign competition peculiarity? When next a Caledon, through an adequate tariff. As regards

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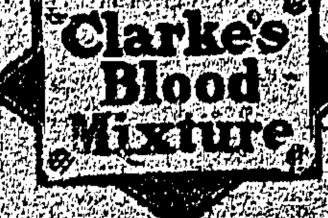
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Detail of Belchers Reliefs for March is posted at lieadquarters.

#### Orders for Infantry Battallow by Major H. A. Morgan.

PREADES. THURSDAY, 14th instant :-4.45 p.m. At King's Park Range, for muen over 50 years of age who have to fire the Special Musketry Course. Dress, the 27th drill order with pouches. Practices 4, cognized. 5 and 6 will be fired.

FRIDAY, 15th instant :-5.15 p.m. Nos. 5 and 8 Platoons on 10 a.m. Cricket Ground: Platoon Drill. Dress,

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erder with pouches. FRIDAY, 15th instant :--5.15 p.m. Musketry Instruction or Murray Parade Ground, for men not detailed to fire at King's Park Range as above. Sergt. Oxberry will attend.

> G. E. STEWART, Captain,

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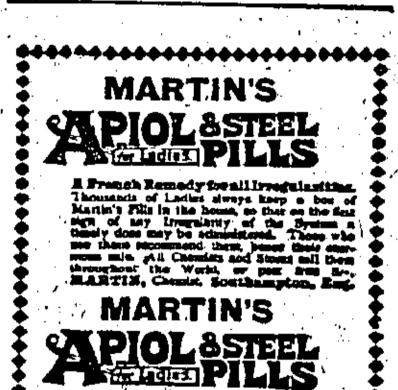
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The Parcel Post Services to British East Africa and Egypt (except for members of the Expeditionary Forces) and to Abyssinia, Bagdad, Erithrea, French Somali Coast, Italian Somaliland Portuguese East Africa, Zanziber and Bassia have been suspended.

LOCAL AND REGULAR MAILS OUTWARD. SUPPLYS & WEEK-DAYS HOLIDAYS ... 5.00 P.M. Tai Po... ... ... JO.00 A.M. 8.30 J.H Oheang Chow ... 7.30 A.M. & 3 P.K. Shataukok, Shatin and Sheungahui ... 4.00 r.w.

Aberdeen, Autau, Ping Shan, Sai Kung, Sentin, Stanley. 4.30 P.M. and Wuchow Regis. 5 P.M. Letters 6 P.M. 5.00 P.M. journey. ∫7.15 a.m.` 9.60 A.W. (1.30 P.M. . (6.00 P.M. Kongmoon Except

Seturdays Namtau and Sanmei ..... 5.00 P.M. 5.00 P.M. Thamchun ...... [10,00 A.M. 9.00 A.M. 4.00 P.M.

FROM BHEUNGWAN WESTERN BRANCH P.O. WEEK-DAYS SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYA 7.30 A.M. S.30 A.M. (7.30 A.M.) 1.30 P.M. S.30 A.M. (1.30 P.M.) Shek Ki..... 9.30 P.M. 9.30 P.M. 9.30 P.M.

Kaukorg ... 8.00 P. M. 8.00 P.M. 8.00 P.M. Except Saturdays. In the case of Mails closing before a.m. Registration closes at 5 o'clock: on the previous evening.

Kumchuk ... 6.00 P.M. 6.00 P.M. 6.00 P.M.

Temperature. Eongkong, March 13, 1918. (Wet bulb) 9 A. M. WEATHER REPORT.

CHLIRA I.- In Fictoria with two Bearers. Ouarter hour. ... 10 cents Half hour, ..... 20

Three hours. 50 Day (8 a.m. to 6 p.m.), ..........\$1.00 If the trip is extended beyond Victoria half fare extra. Between the hours of 8.30 p.m. and a.m. the above fares shall be increased by 50 per centurned II.—Beyond Victoria, with four Bearers.

Three bours......\$1.00 Six hours..... 1.50 Day (6 s.m. to 6 p.m.), ...... 2.00 III .-- In the Hill District. With A Bearers With & Bear re Quarter hour,.....\$0.15 Half hour, .... 0.20 One hour, ..... 0.30 0.60 Two hours. ...... 0.50

Day (6a.m. to8p.m.)1.50 PICKSHAS. I .- In the Island of Hongkong engage

Three hours, ..... 0.70

Six hours, ...... 1.00

Ten minutes, ...... 5 cents. Quarter hour, .....10 One hour, .....20 Every Subsequent hour, ......20 Note.-If the ricksha be engaged within the City of Victoria, and be discharged outside the Western part of the City of Victoria after 9 p.m., or be dis-charged to the East of Bay View Police Station on the Eastern side of the City of Victoria after 9 p.m., an extra half fare shall be chargeable. ... II.-In Kowloom.

Quarter hour, ...... 5 cents. Hour, ..... 20 ,,, Twenty cents shall be added for each extra hour or part of an hour if the hirer causes the journey to take longer | On London-

Fo 4th milesingle ......... 75 cents....1 hour. Beyond 4th to 6th mile-return .....\$1.50......4 Beyond 6th to 9th milesingle .....\$1.75......21 return ..... \$2.00 ....... 5 seyond 9th to 11th milesingle ..... \$2.00 ...... return .....\$2.50 ......7

Fares for journeys beyond the 11th mile to be a matter of previous arrangement in each case. The fares here set out to apply to one ricksha with three coolies from Tsim Sha

FARES FOR PUBLIC CARRIAGES

Not exceeding per passenger. From Slaughter House to Sailors' Home From Sailors' Home to Government Civil Hostotte (12) From Government Civil Hospital to Clock Tower 04 From Clock Tower to Race From Clock Tower to Bay View House ..... From Wanchai Market to Bay View House ..... From Bay View House to

Quarry Bay ..... 90 II.—In the City of Victoria. Not exceeding cer passenger. Quarter hour, ..... 10 cents. Half hour, One hour Two hours.

One day from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. \$1.25 III.—Beyond Victoria. Not exceeding per vassenger. 25 tents. One day from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. \$1.50 If a vehicle is discharged beyond the limits of the City of Victoria half fare extra is to be allowed for the return

IV.—In Kowloon per passenger. One day from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. 45.00 Between the hours of 8.30 p.m. and

a.m. the above farea shall be increased hy 50 per sentum:

HONGKONG TIDES. Water Police Besin at Tsim Sha Tsui luring the years 1903-0. The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty Chart, which as been found to be 4 feet | Surigao ..... 3 inches below mean see level To obtain the depth of water on the ude gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard

add 3 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge it Lamont Dock, Aterdeen, add 10 feet inches to the height given in the table. March 14th to 20th, /1918 HICE WATER. - ouglose

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March 13d, 12A, 08m. No returns from Japan and Wladivostock. Pressure has decreased alightly at all reporting stations. The anticyclone remains stationary, and fresh monsoon will Shock and paid up provail along the China Coast, and over

the N. China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1st, 0.03 inche, against an average of 4.04 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on the 14th March :-

2.-Formora Channel: N. winds. .... 0.60 cents. 3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: The same as 4.- Nouth coast of China between Toughong and Hainan: The same as

> OFFICIAL NIGHTS IN MARCH. The following table shows the Standard Time at which Official Night ends and begins during the mor th of March.

1918 :--Date: Ends Begins. Mar. 13th; 6.33 | s.m. | 6.43 p.m. , 14th. . 6.44 6.44 6.44 6.17 19th, 6.45 , 20th, ., 22nd, 6.13 8.48 , 23rd, 6.47 , 24th. 6.12 , 25th, 6.11 18th, 6.10-, 28th, 6.48 , 30th, 6.48 , 31st

EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, March 13, 1918. Bank, Wire On demand......3/-4
30 days' sight ....3/-4
Credits, 4 months' sight, ...3/1 Documentary, 4 months sight 3/18 On Paris--

On New York— Credite, 60 days sight, ... On Bombay-Wire ... On demand. On Calcutta-Wire.

On demand ... On Singapore— On demand. On Manila— On demand, On Shanghai--On demand 30 days sight(private paper)..... On Yokohama—

On demand, ... 139
Gold eaf, 100 fine (per tael) ... 49.40 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$6.55 Chinese Copper Cash ... 2 pm. Chinese Copper Cents ... 2 pm. Rate of Native Interest Chinese Sub. Coin ...

Hougkong Sub. Coin .... ROYAL OBSERVATORY HONGKONG, DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

иапон 13, 1918.—a.m.

Wind

Tokio Nagasaki. Kagoshina Weihaiwei obang

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Hoihow .... Iloilo .... 29.80 73 94 xx 2 b H.K. Steel Foundry \$10 \$10 Guam ..... 4.20 Labuanius | 5 c. 28.82 77 95 8w 2 6

Hongkong Observatory, March 13, 1918, 1. BEROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit on the level of the sea in Steam Laundry ..... \$ 5 inches, tenths and hundredths. 2. TEMPELITURE, in the shade, in de | Union Waterbeats ... 8 | \$114 grees Fahrenheit 3: HUMIDITY, in percentage of saluration, the humidity of sir saturated with Watness moisture being 100

4. Direction of Wind, to two points.

5. Poros Co WIND, seconding to Beddford Scale 6. STATE OF WEATHER, b blue sky detached cloud, d drizzling rain, t for g gloomy, h hail, I lightning, v overcast p passing showers, a squal, r rain, a snow. thunder, visibility, w dew, vot. 7. Ram ir soches, coutles and home

SHARE REPORT. MAROH 1978, 1918.

BANKA 1.—Hongkong to Gap Rock: N.E. Hengkong & S'hat \$125 \$626 s. Final of £2-3/- & bonus of £1 at Ex. 3/- a/c MARINE: INSUB ANCED. finel making \$25 We 1915 and Interim making 30 % for 1916. Unions .... Final of \$20 and bonus of \$10 s/c 1915 and .... \$ 60(\$910 (ex. 72)) Yangimes .... Final of \$15 making \$21) for 1918 and special of FIRE INSURANCES. China Fires ...... \$ 96,\$133 h. and, bonus 42 for

Interim of \$30 s/e 1918 71 p.s. Hongkong Fire ... ou\$3307 \$27 for 1915 ..... 81 p.c. SHIPPING. Douglas Steamehror B50 \$76 b... Finalof \$5a/c 1916-1917. 19) p. 50 cent for 1917 173,18 M. Indo-Chimas --(Preferred) ... 25 \$321 b. Int. of 3/- a/a.1917 (Deterred) ... £5,\$161 b. & ca. 6 5.0. Int. of 6/-2/0/1917 ..... Shell "Transports £1117/6 Interim 2/- a/c 1917 free of income tax Coupon H p.c.

Star Ferry " ...... 5 \$1.80 div. and 30 cents to bonus for year 71 PA ending 30-4-17..... EEPINERIES. Ohina Sugars ..... \$100 \$80 b. \$12 for 1916 14 p.e. 2. 8 for 1917..... Illi por MINING. Int. div. of 1/- free of in come tax, making 10% a/c 1916-1917 coupon 7 p.c. No. 9 81 p.m Langhace ......gdrs. 10/T.14 b.

Malabon Sugam ... P. 30 \$291 b. 30 sa. Tis. 1 for 1916 1/- interim making 4/-15 p.c a/c 1916..... Ural Caspiana ......£120 - s. Z fcr 1915 DOCKS, WEARVES AND GODOWNS. \$6 div. and \$4 bonus Rowloon Wharves \$ 501993 b. 221 .... making \$10 a/c 1917.

H.K. & Whampon Dooks ...... \$50 \$131 b. 1325 disa. Final of \$7 and bouns of \$24. making \$12 a.c 9 p.c Tls. 9 for your ending Shanghai Docks... \$ 100 T 92 b. HOTELS LANDS

AND BUILDINGS \$3 final making \$6 a/c Hongkong Hotels ... \$ 5, \$87 b. 71 p.4. \$7.a/c 1917,.... Final of \$3 making \$7 Hongkong Lands ... \$10( \$86) 1/0 1917 50 cents for 1315 ... Hamphreys Estates \$ 10 50 b. \$34 for 1917 .... Kowloon Lands ... \$ 20 \$273 Final of \$3 making \$8 West Points ..... 50|\$78 71 p.a. s/c 1917 ..... Z a/c half Shanghai Lands T. 50 T. 79 30-6-17 7000

COTTON MULLS, The 20 for year ending 81.10.17 51 p.s. Tis. 6 div. 2/c year ended Shanghai Cottons T. KOT. 133 h. 30-6-17. Tle. 2 for 1917 ....... Kung Tikeresseen T 10 T. 184 13 p.s. Yanguzzoos ..... T- 6T. 8.10 b. \$1.25 a/e 1917 ..... Orientala.... MISCELLANEOUS.

Chins-Bornece 80 ch. for 1918.... H Pa Light & Powers ... \$ 5 \$4.10 b. p.c. for year ending Ch'na-Providente \$ 10,\$7.10 b. 70 conts for 1916 ..... \$2 for your ending Dairy Farms ...... 74 429 b. Green Islands ..... \$ 74 87.80 ma. 80 cents for 1917 Hongkong Electrics \$ 10 \$481 b. \$31 s/c 1918/17 Bonus 75 cente.... 42 interim a/o 1917 41 final and bonus of \$1 making \$3 a/c 1917 .... . 29.84 70 92 NW 1 0 Hongrong Tramways 5/-\$6.20 Final of 14 % a/o 1917.

Poak Tramways 1 .. \$ 10 \$8.50 c.

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